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For: **CLAMPING SCREW OR PLUG THROUGH-WALL  
CONNECTION, A WEDGE-SHAPED FIXATION**

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, Applicant hereby makes of record the documents listed on the accompanying PTO-1449 Form (1 page) for consideration by the Examiner in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. While the references are being submitted herewith, some or all of the references may not constitute prior art under the U.S. patent laws.

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It is respectfully requested that the references cited in the accompanying PTO-1449 form be considered and made of record. It is respectfully submitted that the pending claims are patentable over all of the references made of record at this time.

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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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A14	DE 43 42 512	Jun. 14, 1995	DE-Germany		See abstract of corresponding WO 95/16295; see International Search Report		
A15	DE 198 01 260	Jul. 22, 1999	DE-Germany		See abstract; discussed in specification		
A16	DE 202 00 974	May 28, 2003	DE-Germany		See abstract of corresponding EP 1 333 544		
A17	DE 199 02 805	Aug. 12, 1999	DE-Germany		Corresponds to US 2001/0002018		

**OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)**

A18	International Search Report for PCT/EP2004/002152 (3 pages)
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